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Title: Secure Extensible Computing Environment

Enclosed are the following papers, including those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR §1.53(b):

	<u>Pages</u>
Specification	20
Claims	6
Abstract	1
Declaration	[To be Filed at a Later Date]
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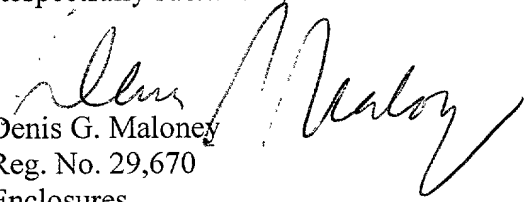
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